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#### **NEWS RELEASE**

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## FEDERAL GRAND JURY CRIMINAL INDICTMENTS ANNOUNCED

David E. O'Meilia, United States Attorney for the Northern District of Oklahoma, announces the results of the January 2008 Federal Grand Jury.

The following named individuals have been charged with a federal crime or crimes by the return of an indictment by the Grand Jury. The return of an indictment is a method of informing the defendant of alleged violations which must be proven in a court of law beyond a reasonable doubt to overcome the defendant's presumption of innocence.

Freeman David Chenoweth, Jr. Solicitation Of Murder, Use Of The United States Mail Intending The Commission Of Murder-For-Hire. The defendant, age 50, faces three counts of attempting to hire a "hit man" to murder the son and wife of the victim of an extortion crime for which Chenoweth was recently convicted and sentenced, and to murder the FBI agent that investigated the case. He is also charged with utilizing the U.S. mail to further his scheme. The criminal acts outlined in the Indictment allegedly took place between September and December 2007.

**Kevin Mark Darnold.** Felon In Possession Of Firearm And Ammunition. The defendant, age 48, of Prue, Oklahoma, is charged with having a .357 caliber handgun in his possession on May 8, 2007. He has eight previous felony DUI convictions.

Jesus Gomez Campa. Possession Of Counterfeit Identification Document As Evidence Of Authorized Stay Or Employment, Possession Of Ammunition By Illegal Alien. It is alleged that Campa, age unavailable, an undocumented alien residing in Tulsa, was allegedly found on November 29, 2007, to be in possession of a counterfeit identification document and an ammunition clip containing live rounds of .380 caliber handgun ammunition.

Enrique Martinez-Mejia. Alien In The United States After Deportation. The defendant, age 35, a citizen of Mexico, was allegedly found in Tulsa on December 8, 2007, after having been previously deported and removed from the U.S. in August 2005.

Rufino Mondragon. Distribute 500 Grams Or More Of Mixture Containing Cocaine, Possess Cocaine With Intent To Distribute, Possess Firearms In Furtherance Of Drug Trafficking Crime. Mondragon, age 32, of Tulsa, is accused of trafficking in cocaine and having three firearms in his possession on June 20, 2007.

Kyle Wayne Isaacs. Possess With Intent To Distribute 500 Grams Or More Of Methamphetamine, Possess Marijuana With Intent To Distribute, Possess Firearm In Furtherance Of Drug Trafficking Crimes, Possess Firearms And Ammunition After Prior Conviction Of Felony, Possess Firearms And Ammunition After Domestic Abuse Conviction.

The defendant, age 26, is charged with trafficking in methamphetamine and marijuana and having firearms in his possession on November 28, 2007, in Tulsa. He has three previous felony convictions (including forgery and drug possession) from Tulsa County District Court and a misdemeanor domestic violence conviction from Oklahoma County.

<u>Yolanda Morales Licon</u>. *Alien In The United States After Deportation*. The defendant, age 44, a citizen of Mexico, was allegedly found in Tulsa on November 14, 2007, after having previously been deported and removed from the U.S. in May 2001.

<u>Randall Eugene Coffey.</u> *Possession Of Stolen Mail.* Coffey, age 44, of Tulsa, was allegedly found on December 28, 2007, to have mail in his possession in the form of blank checks which had been stolen from mail boxes in the U.S. Post Office in Sperry, Oklahoma.

<u>John Von Hallford.</u> *Possession Of Stolen Mail.* Hollford, age 29, of Tulsa, was allegedly found on January 5, 2008, to have multiple pieces of mail in his possession that had been stolen from mail boxes in the U.S. Post Office in Sperry, Oklahoma.

Ramone Monte Stevens. Possess With Intent To Distribute Quantity Of Methamphetamine, Possess Firearm In Furtherance Of Drug Trafficking Crime, Possess Firearm And Ammunition After Prior Conviction Of Felony. Stevens, age 32, of Tulsa, is accused of trafficking in methamphetamine and having a handgun and ammunition in his possession on October 7, 2007. He has five previous felony convictions from Tulsa County District Court which include three DUI convictions, drug possession and assault and battery on a police officer.

### **Sealed and Superseding Indictments**

The Grand Jury returned six indictments that remain sealed. There were no superseding indictments returned by the Grand Jury.